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Looking like a great program you are putting together. By the way I had dinner with Mr. Jesse Ausubel of Rockefeller University, yesterday. He chaired the 2018 Summer Study Group on the Maritime Environment in 2050 and Implications for U.S. National Security on behalf of OSD's Office of Net Assessments. He is could be available on 10 June to participate in the symposium if that work (attached) would be of value to the audience.

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Ladies and Gentleman,

On behalf of RADM Stuart Munsch, acting Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Operations, Plans, and Strategy (OPNAV N3/N5), I want to invite you to present your original research at this year's Naval Strategist Symposium (NSS) on Monday 10 June in Newport, RI, at the Naval War College. As current or former Federal or SECDEF Fellows, I want to give you the first opportunity to submit research that you have completed and present it to your fellow strategists. Read-aheads will be provided to NSS attendees and presentations will be limited to five minutes with additional time for Q&A.

The NSS is an annual event held by OPNAV N3/N5 at the Naval War College to enhance the sense of community among the Navy's strategists and provide you with current information to increase understanding of key strategic issues. This year's theme is "Adapting for a Faster and More Complex Maritime Domain." I've attached the draft agenda for this year's NSS for your SA. You will also be invited to stay and participate in this year's Current Strategy Forum/Breaking the Mold Conference held 11-12 June at the NWC. More information and a formal invite to the Naval Strategist Symposium will be sent in early April.

I hope that you will consider sharing your research with your fellow Naval strategists. This is a novel addition to our agenda and one that I think will be a big hit because you will be engaging with your peers. If you are interested, please send an abstract and a copy of the work to (b) (6)(b) (6)(b) (6)(b) (6)(b) (6)(b) (6) and (b) (6) (b) (6)(b) (6)(b) (6)(b) (6)(b) (6) by 3 May. Once we gather submissions, we'll determine five or six of you to participate in the 60 minutes session. Frankly, I can't tell you how we'll select them until we see them. Regardless, everyone who submits something will, at a minimum, be included in a bibliography provided to all NSS attendees.

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